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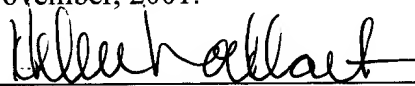
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

A Two Month Extension of Time to and including November 8, 2001 is hereby requested. A check in the amount of \$200.00 to cover the extension fee is enclosed.

ELECTION

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated August 8, 2001, Applicant hereby elects the invention of Group II (claims 14-43), drawn to therapeutic compositions comprising a CFTR expression regulator.

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